

ATTRACTIONS AT D. BELL'S THIS WEEK.

—OUR STOCK OF—

CAPE



Is unequalled, as we are showing the combined efforts of THREE of the best manufacturers in the United States. See the values we are showing at

\$1.89, 3.00 and \$5.00.

Balloon

Bubble Blower.

New, novel and healthful amusement for both young and old. Bubbles made with this Blower will attain such an enormous size that it requires several deep breaths to make one bubble.

TWO DUSKY ARTISTS from the "Torril zone" will be located in our north show window on To-day, (Tuesday) and Wednesday and show how it is done. In many places bubble parties are quite the fact.

10c FOR Blower.

THOSE SILKS

We have put on sale are proving a drawing card and no wonder, for they are 28 inches wide and worth \$1.

OUR PRICE, 59c.

D BELL'S, The LEADING Dry Goods Store.

The Lima Times-Democrat

held from Fairmount church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

The County Commissioners were in session today allowing bills.

Dr. F. G. Stueber is attending a post-graduate school in Chicago.

T. R. Dunathan, of Spencerville, has accepted a position in the Central drug store.

Detective Blaise is suffering from an attack of the grip and a slight attack of rheumatism.

D. W. Wadman, a grocer at Bluffton, made an assignment to Fitch Cahill yesterday afternoon.

W. A. Livermore, manager of the St. Marys opera house, also secured the Delphos theatre.

A freight engine was off the track on the P. U. W. & C. at Dunkirk today, causing a delay of traffic.

D. W. Harpster, of Cairo, has accepted a position in a drug store in Toledo. He left for that city today.

The jury in the Lefler case returned a verdict of "acquit" to-day, this morning about 9:30 o'clock.

Miss Della Dalton entertained about twenty of her young friends at her home on south Elizabeth street Saturday evening.

John Doyle was brought over from Spencerville and lodged in jail to await the action of the grand jury. He is charged with breaching into a school house.

Next Monday being election day, there will be no meeting of the city council in the evening. The regular meeting will be held Tuesday night following.

The meeting of the Sappho Club to have been held this week has been postponed until one week from Thursday, April 6th, at Mrs. W. L. Porter's west high street.

Clifford & Glanville, proprietors of the Cafe Royal, at Findlay, one of the handsomest saloons and restaurants in that town, made an assignment yesterday.

Messrs. Davis & Son, successors to Besser & Haines, are moving their undertaking establishment into the Farmer block, in the southwest corner of the public squares.

Miss Kate Freeman, teacher in the high school, is unable to meet her classes being confined to her home in Lima on account of sickness. Miss Florence Nutt is filling her place.

Mrs. Nura, wife of Wm. Wolf, aged twenty-five years, died at her home seven miles southeast of this city yesterday morning, from pneumonia fever. Funeral services were

KOEBER LETTER.

The inmates of the Pest House want for nothing but Liberty.

Prof. Ambrose Koehler, who was removed to the pest house last week, is reported to be improving gradually and it is thought he will be up in a day or two.

Mrs. Koehler, the patient's mother, states that he has suffered more or less from lung trouble but that he is not suffering from consumption and that she does not consider his condition, with regard to small pox, necessarily alarming.

Nasley is as hale and hearty as ever and he and Van Deyver say that all they wish for is to retain their positions on the C. H. & D. and to be liberated from their present quarters in time to vote for the Democratic candidates at the coming election.

LYMAN H. HOWES

Wonderful New Edison Phonograph Entertainment.

PROGRAMME.

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STREET TALK.

The News is in receipt of a postal card from the postmaster at Lima, which reads as follows:

"Your paper addressed to Wm. Shoup, Lima, O., should be changed from Lima, O., to Columbus, O., in care of the penitentiary to insure its prompt and regular delivery."

Shoup used to live in Huntington. We can't imagine what he can be doing in the Ohio penitentiary.—Huntington News.

Internal Revenue Collector Hull has appointed William R. Sowles, of Paris, Urbana county, deputy collector of the income tax department. Mr. Sowles' headquarters will be at Urbana.

THE TONTAGANY MURDER.

County Commissioners will Offer Reward Undoubtedly.

DOWLING GREEN, March 26.—Today the commissioners met, but postponed action in the matter of award for the conviction of the murderer of Mrs. Peaney until their regular meeting next Tuesday. It is practically settled that a reward will be offered.

Coroner Thomas filed his report of the inquest with the county clerk. Its contents have been heretofore substantially printed.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, TOLEDO, O., MARCH 26.

8:00 a. m. temperatures.—Toledo 32 degrees, New York 40 degrees, Cincinnati 40 degrees, Chicago 34 degrees, St. Louis 42 degrees, Pittsburgh 36 degrees, Jacksonville 53 degrees, St. Paul 36 degrees.

SYNOPSIS.

The storm over the lakes yesterday has moved to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. A second storm area is central this morning over the extreme northwest.

The temperature has risen over the northwest and fallen generally over all other sections. The conditions this morning are favorable for cooler weather to prevail over the eastern half of the country during the next 24 hours, becoming slightly warmer to-morrow.

During the past 24 hours rain of snow has fallen over portions of the lake region, New England States, St. Lawrence valley, and Ohio valley. In all other sections it has remained fair. The conditions are favorable for generally fair weather to prevail over the central portions of the country during the next 36 hours.

During the day the winds will be brisk to high in force decreasing to-night.

E. A. HANSEN, Observer.

A GRAND SUCCESS.

This is the verdict pronounced by all regarding Treat's greatest bargain sale, now going on.

Small Oil Fire.

A small fire occurred at Buckeye Pipe Line station 19 on the Harrod farm, yesterday afternoon. The flames were extinguished by the employees before much damage was done.

TREAT'S Greatest Bargain Sale.

is now going on. Skirt and waist lining given with every wool dress purchased this week, from 40c up.

"McFadden's Elopement" to-night.

Robbed Landlord Terry.

A young colored man named John Toney who has been employed at the Hotel French, was locked up at the police station last night upon complaint of Proprietor Terry, who charged the prisoner with having stolen three shirts belonging to the hotel.

Toney was arraigned before the mayor this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge.

A number of blankets were also recently stolen from the hotel, but Toney says he did not take them. He has not yet been sentenced.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Earl C. Moyer and Estella Groves, James B. Peters and Fannie Odum, James E. Seider and Mary E. Miller.

APPOINTMENT.

Mary A. Hoover was appointed administratrix of the estate of B. H. H. Hoover, deceased.

MOTION OVERRULED.

The motion for a new case was argued in the Tremaine case to-day, and overruled.

MOREHOUSE ON TRIAL.

The Morehouse trial was begun this morning and will probably not be concluded before to-morrow. Morehouse is charged with blowing open a safe at Spencerville a few years ago. Kuhn, who is serving time in the penitentiary for the same offense, was brought here from Columbus this afternoon to testify.

NEW CASES.

James Callahan vs. F. M. Leachhead, Cognovit.

John Hoffman vs. Elizabeth Downing, Transcript.

Ewing & Emrick vs. Solomon Carr, Transcript.

The Modern Way.

commends itself to the well-formed, to do pleasantly and effectively what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs.

GIVEN AWAY.

Skirt Lining, Waist Lining, Dress Stays, Silk Thread, Hooks and Eyes, With every Dress Pattern bought at TREAT'S.

Bishop B. W. Annett, D. D., will lecture at St. Paul A. M. E. church next Monday night.

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LIBERAL DONATIONS.

Being Received From the Allen County Farmers for the Nebraska Sufferers.

The circular letters which were sent out to the Allen county farmers by the gentlemen who were appointed as a committee to notify the residents of the county of the appeal for aid from Nebraska, were received and acted upon by the members of the township and district committees, and as a result, several wagon loads of donations have already been hauled in from various parts of the county and many more are to follow to-morrow. The Allen county farmers, as well as the citizens of Lima, have shown that they are unusually charitable, and Mr. Strayer, the Nebraska farmer who came here to appeal for relief for his destitute neighbors, is highly elated with his success, and fully appreciates the liberality of Allen county people.

Two box cars have been set off on a side track near the P. U. W. & C. freight depot, and the contributions are hauled in farm wagons and loaded directly into the cars, preparatory to shipment to-morrow night or Thursday morning.

One car contained exclusively for corn, oats, wheat and other grain, because that class of freight will be transported free of charge from Chicago to Nebraska. Reduced rates have also been secured on all the freight that goes to the destitute families in the far west.

Two donations from the country consist chiefly of shelled corn, wheat, oats, potatoes and clothing and some money. Grain, which is one of the most needed articles, has been given in abundance. About a car load of the provisions were loaded to-day, and it is thought that by to-morrow night there will be in all fully two car loads for Nebraska.

Mayor Smiley received a letter yesterday afternoon from R. M. Rownd, of Columbus, thanking the citizens of Lima in behalf of miners of Sunday Creek and Hocking valley for the liberal donation of food and clothing sent them from this city.

IN TOUGH LUCK.

Guy Leech Has an Unpleasant Experience.

Word was received here yesterday that Guy Leech, who left here for Phoenix, Arizona, last week had been stopped at Kansas City by the health authorities and vaccinated as soon as it was learned he was from Lima. He was allowed to continue his journey, but when he landed in Phoenix he was met by a health officer, who hustled him into a wagon and took him out to the pest house and locked him up, all because was from Lima.

Letter List.

Letters remaining in Lima, O. P. O. for week ending March 25, 1905:

Allen, H. H. Grey, Jane, Anderson, Carrie Jones, Clarence Baker, Mrs. Lizzie (2) Kirk, A. W. Brubaker, L. F. McCarty, T. F. Bresnahan, Dennis Murphy, Frank Busch, Chas. Price, W. F. Clark, Sam Smith, J. L. & Co. Donaldson, Thos. L. Stright, Kizlie Emmonson, J. H. Wheeler, Pete Farnham, Prof. Geo. Wilkins, J. B. Goodrich, Nellie A. Wisner, Ella

Have your mail addressed to the street and number of your house to insure delivery.

In calling for the above say "advertised." Respectfully,

W. H. McHAFFEE, P. M.

The Atlantic Monthly

for April, 1905: A Singular Life—X. XI—Elizabeth Stewart Phelps; A Talk Over Autographs, first paper, George Birkbeck Hill; While the Robins Sang, J. Russell Taylor; Mower of Love of New England Children, Alice Morse Earle; Dunn Foxglove, Annie Trumbull Slosson; The Expressions of the English Souds, Albert H. Tolman; The Seats of the Mighty—IV, VI—Gilbert Parker; Macbeth, John Foster Kirk; Gridson's Play—in two parts, part two—Grace Howard Palmer; The Basis of Our Educational System, James Jay Greenough; Robert Louis Stevenson, C. T. Copeland; In Memoriam, Stevenson, Owen Winter; Two Dreamers, The City in Modern Life, Reconstructive Criticism, Comment of New Books, The Contributors' Club.

Will Be Buried To-morrow.

The funeral services of Ida L. wife of H. M. Hayden, who died at 11:30 o'clock yesterday from lung trouble, will be held from the residence, 2014 south Main street, at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The remains will be interred in the old cemetery.

The deceased was formerly Miss Ida Titus and was well known and popular among her many acquaintances. She was aged thirty-two years, seven months and nineteen days and leaves a husband, but no children.

Those Who Desire

A thorough business education should attend the Business Department of Lima College on Jameson avenue. Actual business taught. Department well equipped. The next term will begin April 24, but students can enter at any time. For further information call on or address Prof. C. Ackermann, 807 W. North street, or Rev. C. H. Eckhardt, 1033 W. Market street.

Miss Agnes Rosenbeck

has opened a millinery store at 717 south Main street, to be known as the South Lima Millinery Emporium.

Jno. Kernell to-night.

South Lima Residents

will have a treat next Wednesday, when the new Lima Emporium is opened at 717 south Main street.

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